OMNIBUS RESCISSION OF HEALTH OFFICER ORDERS AND DIRECTIVES

RESCISSION OF LISTED PANDEMIC-RELATED ORDERS AND DIRECTIVES OF THE HEALTH OFFICER OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

(PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY ORDER/DIRECTIVE)

DATE OF RESCISSION:  June 11, 2021

Effective at 12:01 a.m. on June 15, 2021, all of the orders and directives of the Health Officer of the City and County of San Francisco listed below are rescinded in full.

On June 15, 2021, the State of California will rescind its Blueprint for a Safer Economy for counties across California. The State has most recently assigned the City and County of San Francisco (the “City”) to the yellow tier, the least restrictive in its Blueprint, based on the City’s low case rate for Coronavirus Disease 2019 (“COVID-19”). The seven-day average number of new COVID-19 infections in the City as well as the COVID-19 hospitalizations are now at least as low as they were in March 2020 at the beginning of the pandemic. As vaccinations have proceeded and openings and expansions of businesses and activities have continued, case rates and hospitalizations in the City have remained generally low and stable or declining. San Francisco’s vaccination rate compares favorably globally with countries with the highest vaccination rates. Based on this data and the other COVID-19 indicators, and the evolving scientific understanding of the risks posed by COVID-19, including the impact of vaccination, the Health Officer has determined it is now appropriate to remove most remaining local health restrictions relating to COVID-19 and primarily align with state and federal rules. Concurrently with this rescission the Health Officer is updating and substantially revising the main pandemic-related order, Health Officer Order No. C19-07y, which no longer named the Stay-Safer-At-Home Order and will remain in effect and provide minimum safety standards for key areas that remain of concern. Everyone in the City remains subject to State and Federal rules and other Health Officer orders and directives that remain in effect until they are rescinded.

List of Orders and Directives Being Rescinded:

Health Officer Orders

1. Order No. C19-01d (regarding visitors at ZSFG/LHH skilled nursing facilities – updated March 10, 2021);
2. Order No. C19-03c (regarding visitors at other skilled nursing facilities – updated March 10, 2021);
3. Order No. C19-04 (regarding SRO cleaning – issued March 10, 2020);
4. Order No. C19-09c (regarding visitors at ARFs, RCFEs, etc. – updated March 10, 2021);
5. Order No. C19-10 (regarding laboratory reporting of COVID-19 results – issued March 24, 2020);
6. Order No. C19-12f (regarding face coverings – updated May 4, 2021);
7. Order No. C19-13 (regarding testing of residents and personnel at skilled nursing facilities – issued May 7, 2020);
8. Order No. C19-14 (regarding decedent testing – issued June 25, 2020); and
Health Officer Directives

10. Directive No. 2020-04 (regarding public works projects – issued May 5, 2020);
11. Directive No. 2020-11 (regarding manufacturing – issued May 17, 2020);
12. Directive No. 2020-12 (regarding warehousing – issued May 17, 2020);
13. Directive No. 2020-13b (regarding summer camp programs – updated June 5, 2020);
14. Directive No. 2020-16j (regarding dining – updated May 20, 2021);
15. Directive No. 2020-17d (regarding in-store retail – updated May 6, 2021);
17. Directive No. 2020-19i (regarding outdoor gatherings – updated May 6, 2021);
18. Directive No. 2020-22j (regarding higher education programs – updated May 6, 2021);
19. Directive No. 2020-23f (regarding outdoor personal services – updated May 20, 2021);
20. Directive No. 2020-24d (regarding pools – updated May 6, 2021);
22. Directive No. 2020-26d (regarding specialized targeted support services – updated May 6, 2021);
23. Directive No. 2020-27e (regarding outdoor gyms and fitness centers – updated May 6, 2021);
24. Directive No. 2020-28g (regarding drive-in gatherings – updated May 6, 2021);
25. Directive No. 2020-29j (regarding lodging – updated May 20, 2021);
26. Directive No. 2020-30f (regarding indoor personal services – updated May 20, 2021);
27. Directive No. 2020-31f (regarding indoor gyms and fitness centers – updated May 6, 2021);
28. Directive No. 2020-32e (regarding museums, zoos, and aquariums – updated April 14, 2021);
29. Directive No. 2020-34g (regarding indoor worship – updated May 24, 2021);
30. Directive No. 2020-35d (regarding indoor movie theaters – updated May 6, 2021);
31. Directive No. 2021-01e (regarding youth and adult recreational sports – updated May 20, 2021); and

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Susan Philip, MD, MPH, Date: June 11, 2021
Health Officer of the
City and County of San Francisco